To
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Keokuk Iowa

When you are near

little darling

Song and chorus

WORDS & MUSIC
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Author of: Jessie that lives o'er the sea; I will not forget you ect.

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SONG and CHORUS

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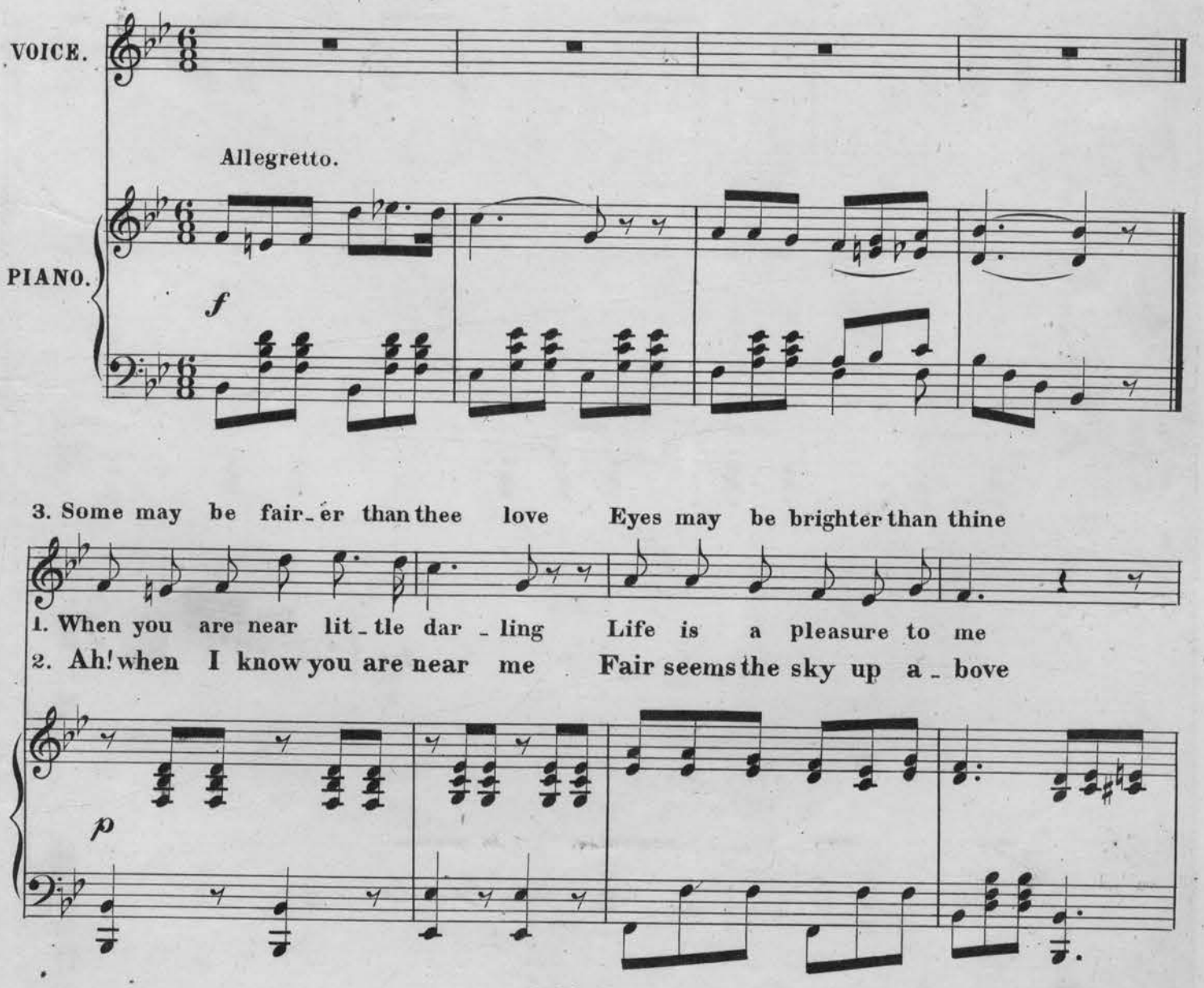
VOICE.
Allegretto.
PIANO.
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3. Some may be fair_er than thee love Eyes may be brighter than thine
1. When you are near lit_tle dar_ling Life is a pleasure to me
2. Ah! when I know you are near me Fair seems the sky up a_bove
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None can be dear - er to me love, Thou art an i - dol of
Soft - ly my spir - it is call - - ing, Fond - ly I'm wait - ing for
Mak - ing soft mu - sic to cheer me; Sing - ing your sweet songs of
mine ——. Hark! now the night bird is sing - - ing,
thee ——. Hours seem so lone - ly and drear, love;
love ——. Come while the stars brightly shine, love;
Flow - ers are drink - ing the dew, —— Zeph - yrs sweet perfume are
When you are gone from my side; —— But when I know you are
Meet me with kiss - es so sweet, —— Tell me a - gain thou art
bring - ing, Still I am wait - ing for you ——.
near, love; Then all too swift - ly they glide ——.
mine, love; Of - ten that sto - ry re - peat ——.

CHORUS.

Sop. When you are near lit - tle dar - ling Life is a pleasure to me ____

Alto.

Ten. When you are near lit - tle dar - ling Life is a pleasure to me ____

Bass.

Piano. *mf*

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Soft - ly my spir - it is call - ing, Fond - ly I'm wait - ing for thee ____.

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